

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic lottery game, the gaming system comprising:
 - 2 a plurality of terminal units, each of the terminal units comprising:
 - 4 an input device for inputting a plurality of input selections, the input device being capable of reading encoded information disposed on a substrate material;
 - 6 a terminal unit memory device;
 - 8 a currency-accepting mechanism that is capable of allowing the player to deposit a medium of currency;
 - 10 a value-dispensing mechanism that is capable of dispensing value to the player;
 - 12 an output device; and
 - 14 a terminal unit controller operatively coupled to the input device, the terminal unit memory device, the currency-accepting mechanism, the value-dispensing mechanism, and the output device; and
 - 16 a host computer operatively coupled to the plurality of terminal units, the host computer comprising:
 - 18 a host computer memory device; and
 - 20 a host computer controller operatively coupled to the host computer memory device,
 - 22 one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being programmed to determine an opening entry for the player for the dynamic lottery game,
 - 24 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to dispense a dynamic lottery game ticket to the player, the dynamic lottery game ticket having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the opening entry for the player for the dynamic lottery game,
 - 28 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device to receive the dynamic lottery game ticket and to read player selection indicia on the dynamic lottery game ticket, wherein the player selection indicia on the dynamic lottery game ticket corresponds to a dynamic lottery game selection for the player,
 - 30 one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being programmed to determine an outcome of the dynamic lottery game in response to the

34 reading of the player selection indicia by the input device, the outcome being
determined based on the player selection indicia,
36 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
dispense a continuation ticket to the player, the continuation ticket having indicia
38 disposed thereon corresponding to the outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the
player,
40 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device to
receive the continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the outcome of
42 the dynamic lottery game for the player,
44 one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
programmed to determine whether the outcome of the dynamic lottery game is a
winning outcome based on the indicia corresponding to the outcome of the dynamic
46 lottery game for the player, and
48 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the one of the terminal unit
controller and the host computer controller determining that the outcome of the
50 dynamic lottery game for the player is a winning outcome.

2. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 1, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device
to receive the continuation ticket and to read player selection indicia on the
4 continuation ticket, wherein the player selection indicia on the continuation ticket
corresponds to a second dynamic lottery game selection for the player,
6 one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
programmed to determine a second outcome of the dynamic lottery game in response
8 to the reading of the second player selection indicia by the input device, the second
outcome being determined based on the second player selection indicia,
10 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
dispense a second continuation ticket to the player, the second continuation ticket
12 having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the second outcome of the dynamic
lottery game for the player,
14 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device to
receive the second continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the
16 second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player,

one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
18 programmed to determine whether the second outcome of the dynamic lottery game is
a winning outcome based on the indicia corresponding to the second outcome of the
20 dynamic lottery game for the player, and

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
22 mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the one of the terminal unit
controller and the host computer controller determining that the second outcome of
24 the dynamic lottery game for the player is a winning outcome.

3. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 1, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device
to receive the dynamic lottery game ticket a second time and to read player selection
4 indicia on the dynamic lottery game ticket,

one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
6 programmed to determine a second outcome of the dynamic lottery game in response
to the second reading of the player selection indicia by the input device, the outcome
8 being determined based on the player selection indicia,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
10 dispense a second continuation ticket to the player, the second continuation ticket
having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the second outcome of the dynamic
12 lottery game for the player,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device to
14 receive the second continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the
second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player,

one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
16 programmed to determine whether the second outcome of the dynamic lottery game is
18 a winning outcome based on the indicia corresponding to the second outcome of the
dynamic lottery game for the player, and

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
20 mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the one of the terminal unit
controller and the host computer controller determining that the second outcome of
22 the dynamic lottery game for the player is a winning outcome.

4. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 1, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the player to
enter a base lottery game entry at input device,

4 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the player to enter a
base lottery game wager at the currency-accepting mechanism,

6 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
dispense the dynamic lottery game ticket to the player, wherein the dynamic lottery
8 game ticket has indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery
game.

5. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 4, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device
to read the indicia corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game on the dynamic
4 lottery ticket,

one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
6 programmed to determine whether the entry for the base lottery game is a winning
entry in response to the dynamic lottery ticket being received and read by the input
8 device, and

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
10 mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the one of the terminal unit
controller and the host computer controller determining that the entry for the base
12 lottery game is a winning entry.

6. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 4, the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output
device to dispense the continuation ticket to the player, wherein the continuation
4 ticket has indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game,

one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
6 programmed to determine whether the entry for the base lottery game is a winning
entry in response to the continuation ticket being received and read by the second
8 input device, and

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
10 mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the one of the terminal unit
controller and the host computer controller determining that the entry for the base
12 lottery game is a winning entry.

7. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 4, wherein a winning outcome for the dynamic lottery game corresponds to
a multiplier value to be applied to a prize amount for a winning entry for the base
4 lottery game, the terminal unit controller being programmed to multiply the prize
amount for the winning entry for the base lottery game by any multiplier value for a
6 winning entry for the dynamic lottery game to determine a total base lottery game
prize amount in response to determining that the entry in the base lottery game and
8 the entry in the dynamic lottery game are winning entries, and the terminal unit
controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing mechanism to dispense
10 value to the player corresponding to the total base lottery game prize amount in
response to determining that the entry in the base lottery game and the entry in the
12 dynamic lottery game are winning entries.

8. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 1, wherein the input device comprises a first device for inputting a
plurality of input selections and a second device that is capable of reading encoded
4 information disposed on a substrate material; the terminal unit controller being
programmed to allow a request for a player to enter the dynamic lottery game to be
6 input at the first device,
the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the second device to
8 receive the dynamic lottery game ticket and to read player selection indicia on the
dynamic lottery game ticket, and
10 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the second device to
receive the continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the outcome of
12 the dynamic lottery game for the player.

9. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 1, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow a request for a
player to enter the dynamic lottery game to be input at the input device, wherein the
4 opening entry for the player for the dynamic lottery game is determined in response to
the input of the request at the input device.

2 10. A method for conducting a dynamic lottery game, comprising:
4 determining an opening entry for the player for the dynamic lottery game;
6 dispensing a dynamic lottery game ticket to the player, the dynamic lottery
game ticket having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the opening entry for
the player for the dynamic lottery game;
8 reading player selection indicia on the dynamic lottery game ticket, wherein
the player selection indicia on the dynamic lottery game ticket corresponds to a
dynamic lottery game selection for the player;
10 determining an outcome of the dynamic lottery game, the outcome being
determined based on the player selection indicia;
12 dispensing a continuation ticket to the player, the continuation ticket having
indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the outcome of the dynamic lottery game
for the player;
14 reading the indicia corresponding to the outcome of the dynamic lottery game
for the player;
16 determining whether the outcome of the dynamic lottery game is a winning
outcome based on the indicia corresponding to the outcome of the dynamic lottery
game for the player; and
20 dispensing value to the player in response to determining that the outcome of
the dynamic lottery game for the player is a winning outcome.

2 11. A method for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance with
claim 10, comprising:
4 reading player selection indicia on the continuation ticket, wherein the player
selection indicia on the continuation ticket corresponds to a second dynamic lottery
game selection for the player;
6 determining a second outcome of the dynamic lottery game, the second
outcome being determined based on the second player selection indicia;
8 dispensing a second continuation ticket to the player, the second continuation
ticket having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the second outcome of the
dynamic lottery game for the player;
10 reading the indicia on the second continuation ticket corresponding to the
second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player;

14 determining whether the second outcome of the dynamic lottery game is a
winning outcome based on the indicia corresponding to the second outcome of the
dynamic lottery game for the player; and

16 dispensing value to the player in response to determining that the second
outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player is a winning outcome.

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12. A method for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance with
2 claim 10, comprising:

4 reading the player selection indicia on the dynamic lottery game ticket a
second time;

6 determining a second outcome of the dynamic lottery game in response to the
second reading of the player selection indicia, the outcome being determined based on
the player selection indicia;

8 dispensing a second continuation ticket to the player, the second continuation
ticket having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the second outcome of the
10 dynamic lottery game for the player;

12 reading the indicia of the second continuation ticket corresponding to the
second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player;

14 determining whether the second outcome of the dynamic lottery game is a
winning outcome based on the indicia corresponding to the second outcome of the
dynamic lottery game for the player; and

16 dispensing value to the player in response to determining that the second
outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player is a winning outcome.

13. A method for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance with
2 claim 10, comprising:

4 receiving a base lottery game entry from the player;

6 receiving a base lottery game wager from the player;

8 dispensing the dynamic lottery game ticket to the player, wherein the dynamic
lottery game ticket has indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base
lottery game.

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2 14. A method for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance with
claim 13, comprising:

4 reading the indicia corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game on the
dynamic lottery ticket;

6 determining whether the entry for the base lottery game is a winning entry
based on the indicia disposed on the dynamic lottery ticket; and

8 dispensing value to the player in response to determining that the entry for the
base lottery game is a winning entry.

15. A method for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance with
2 claim 13, comprising:

4 dispensing the continuation ticket to the player, wherein the continuation
ticket has indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery
game;

6 determining whether the entry for the base lottery game is a winning entry
based on the indicia disposed on the continuation ticket; and

8 dispensing value to the player in response to determining that the entry for the
base lottery game is a winning entry.

16. A method for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance with
2 claim 13, wherein a winning outcome for the dynamic lottery game corresponds to a
multiplier value to be applied to a prize amount for a winning entry for the base
4 lottery game, the method comprising:

6 determining a total base lottery game prize amount by multiplying the prize
amount for the winning entry for the base lottery game by any multiplier value for a
winning entry for the dynamic lottery game in response to determining that the entry
8 in the base lottery game and the entry in the dynamic lottery game are winning
entries; and

10 dispensing value to the player corresponding to the total base lottery game
prize amount in response to determining that the entry in the base lottery game and
12 the entry in the dynamic lottery game are winning entries.

2 17. A method for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance with
claim 10, comprising:

4 receiving a request from a player to enter the dynamic lottery game; and
determining the opening entry for the player for the dynamic lottery game in
6 response to the request to enter the dynamic lottery game.

18. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic lottery game, comprising:
2 an input device for inputting a plurality of input selections, the input device
being capable of reading encoded information disposed on a substrate material;
4 a terminal unit memory device;
6 a currency-accepting mechanism that is capable of allowing the player to
deposit a medium of currency;
8 a value-dispensing mechanism that is capable of dispensing value to the
player;
10 an output device; and
12 a terminal unit controller operatively coupled to the input device, the terminal
unit memory device, the currency-accepting mechanism, the value-dispensing
mechanism, and the output device,

14 the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine an
opening entry for the player for the dynamic lottery game,

16 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output
device to dispense a dynamic lottery game ticket to the player, the dynamic
lottery game ticket having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the
18 opening entry for the player for the dynamic lottery game,

20 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input
device to receive the dynamic lottery game ticket and to read player selection
indicia on the dynamic lottery game ticket, wherein the player selection
22 indicia on the dynamic lottery game ticket corresponds to a dynamic lottery
game selection for the player,

24 the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine an
outcome of the dynamic lottery game in response to the reading of the player
26 selection indicia by the input device, the outcome being determined based on
the player selection indicia,

28 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output
device to dispense a continuation ticket to the player, the continuation ticket
30 having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the outcome of the dynamic
lottery game for the player,

32 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input
device to receive the continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding
34 to the outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player,

36 the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine whether
the outcome of the dynamic lottery game is a winning outcome based on the
38 indicia corresponding to the outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the
player, and

40 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-
dispensing mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the
42 terminal unit controller determining that the outcome of the dynamic lottery
game for the player is a winning outcome.

19. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 18, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input
device to receive the continuation ticket and to read player selection indicia on the
4 continuation ticket, wherein the player selection indicia on the continuation ticket
corresponds to a second dynamic lottery game selection for the player,

6 the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine a second outcome
of the dynamic lottery game in response to the reading of the second player selection
8 indicia by the input device, the second outcome being determined based on the second
player selection indicia,

10 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
dispense a second continuation ticket to the player, the second continuation ticket
12 having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the second outcome of the dynamic
lottery game for the player,

14 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device to
receive the second continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the
16 second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player,

18 the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine whether the
second outcome of the dynamic lottery game is a winning outcome based on the

indicia corresponding to the second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the
20 player, and

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
22 mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the terminal unit controller
determining that the second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player is a
24 winning outcome.

20. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 18, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input
device to receive the dynamic lottery game ticket a second time and to read player
4 selection indicia on the dynamic lottery game ticket,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine a second outcome
6 of the dynamic lottery game in response to the second reading of the player selection
indicia by the input device, the outcome being determined based on the player
8 selection indicia,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
10 dispense a second continuation ticket to the player, the second continuation ticket
having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the second outcome of the dynamic
12 lottery game for the player,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device to
14 receive the second continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the
second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player,

16 the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine whether the
second outcome of the dynamic lottery game is a winning outcome based on the
18 indicia corresponding to the second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the
player, and

20 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the terminal unit controller
22 determining that the second outcome of the dynamic lottery game for the player is a
winning outcome.

21. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 18, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the player to
enter a base lottery game entry at input device,
4 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the player to enter a
base lottery game wager at the currency-accepting mechanism, and
6 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
dispense the dynamic lottery game ticket to the player, wherein the dynamic lottery
8 game ticket has indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery
game.

22. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 21, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input
device to read the indicia corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game on the
4 dynamic lottery ticket,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine whether the entry
6 for the base lottery game is a winning entry in response to the dynamic lottery ticket
being received and read by the input device, and
8 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the terminal unit controller
10 determining that the entry for the base lottery game is a winning entry.

23. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 21, the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output
device to dispense the continuation ticket to the player, wherein the continuation
4 ticket has indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game;

the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine whether the entry
6 for the base lottery game is a winning entry in response to the continuation ticket
being received and read by the second input device, and

8 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the terminal unit controller
10 determining that the entry for the base lottery game is a winning entry.

24. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 21, wherein a winning outcome for the dynamic lottery game corresponds
4 to a multiplier value to be applied to a prize amount for a winning entry for the base
6 lottery game, the terminal unit controller being programmed to multiply the prize
8 amount for the winning entry for the base lottery game by any multiplier value for a
10 winning entry for the dynamic lottery game to determine a total base lottery game
12 prize amount in response to determining that the entry in the base lottery game and
the entry in the dynamic lottery game are winning entries, and the terminal unit
controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing mechanism to dispense
value to the player corresponding to the total base lottery game prize amount in
response to determining that the entry in the base lottery game and the entry in the
dynamic lottery game are winning entries.

25. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 18, wherein the input device comprises a first device for inputting a
4 plurality of input selections and a second device that is capable of reading encoded
information disposed on a substrate material, the terminal unit controller being
6 programmed to allow a request for a player to enter the dynamic lottery game to be
input at the first device,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the second device to
8 receive the dynamic lottery game ticket and to read player selection indicia on the
dynamic lottery game ticket, and
10 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the second device to
receive the continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the outcome of
12 the dynamic lottery game for the player.

26. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic lottery game in accordance
2 with claim 18, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow a request for a
4 player to enter the dynamic lottery game to be input at the input device, wherein the
opening entry for the player for the dynamic lottery game is determined in response to
the input of the request at the input device.

27. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic betting game
2 corresponding to the occurrence of a sporting event, the gaming system comprising:
4 a plurality of terminal units, each of the terminal units comprising:
6 an input device for inputting a plurality of input selections, the input
device being capable of reading encoded information disposed on a substrate
material;
8 a terminal unit memory device;
10 a currency-accepting mechanism that is capable of allowing the player
to deposit a medium of currency;
12 a value-dispensing mechanism that is capable of dispensing value to
the player;
14 an output device; and
16 a terminal unit controller operatively coupled to the input device, the
terminal unit memory device, the currency-accepting mechanism, the value-
dispensing mechanism, and the output device; and
18 a host computer operatively coupled to the plurality of terminal units, the host
computer comprising:
20 a host input device;
22 a host computer memory device; and
24 a host computer controller operatively coupled to the host input device
and the host computer memory device,
26 one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
programmed to allow the entry of current information for the occurrence of the
sporting event at a corresponding one of the terminal input device and the host input
device, and to store the current information at at least one of the terminal unit memory
device and the host computer memory device,
28 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
dispense a dynamic bet slip to the player, the dynamic bet slip having indicia disposed
thereon corresponding to the current information for the occurrence of the sporting
30 event stored at the at least one of the terminal unit memory device and the host
computer memory device,
32 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the terminal input
device to receive the dynamic bet slip and to read player selection indicia on the
34 dynamic bet slip, wherein the player selection indicia on the dynamic bet slip

corresponds to the player's entry for the dynamic betting game for the occurrence of
36 the sporting event,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the currency-accepting
38 mechanism to receive a wager from the player corresponding to the player's entry for
the dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the sporting event,

40 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
dispense a continuation ticket to the player, the continuation ticket having indicia
42 disposed thereon corresponding to the player's entry for the dynamic betting game for
the occurrence of the sporting event,

44 one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
programmed to allow the entry of outcome information for the occurrence of the
46 sporting event at a corresponding one of the terminal input device and the host input
device; and to store the outcome information at at least one of the terminal unit
48 memory device and the host computer memory device,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device to
50 receive the continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the player's
entry for the dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the sporting event,

52 one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
programmed to determine whether the player's entry for the dynamic betting game for
54 the occurrence of the sporting event is a winning entry based on a comparison of the
player's entry to the outcome information for the occurrence of the sporting event, and

56 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the one of the terminal unit
58 controller and the host computer controller determining that the player's entry for the
dynamic betting game is a winning entry.

28. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic betting game
2 corresponding to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 27, the
terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the player to enter a base lottery
4 game entry at the input device,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the player to enter a
6 base lottery game wager at the currency-accepting mechanism,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
8 dispense the dynamic bet slip to the player, wherein the dynamic bet slip has indicia
disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game.

29. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic betting game
2 corresponding to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 28, the
terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input device to read the
4 indicia corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game on the dynamic bet slip,

one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
6 programmed to determine whether the entry for the base lottery game is a winning
entry in response to the dynamic bet slip being received and read by the second input
8 device, and

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
10 mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the one of the terminal unit
controller and the host computer controller determining that the entry for the base
12 lottery game is a winning entry.

30. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic betting game
2 corresponding to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 28, the
terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to dispense the
4 continuation ticket to the player, wherein the continuation ticket has indicia disposed
thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game,

6 one of the terminal unit controller and the host computer controller being
programmed to determine whether the entry for the base lottery game is a winning
8 entry in response to the continuation ticket being received and read by the input
device, and

10 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the one of the terminal unit
12 controller and the host computer controller determining that the entry for the base
lottery game is a winning entry.

31. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic betting game
2 corresponding to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 28,
wherein a winning outcome for the dynamic betting game corresponds to a multiplier
4 value to be applied to a prize amount for a winning entry for the base lottery game,
the terminal unit controller being programmed to multiply the prize amount for the
6 winning entry for the base lottery game by any multiplier value for a winning entry
for the dynamic betting game to determine a total base lottery game prize amount in
8 response to determining that the entry in the base lottery game and the entry in the
dynamic betting game are winning entries, and the terminal unit controller being
10 programmed to cause the value-dispensing mechanism to dispense value to the player
corresponding to the total base lottery game prize amount in response to determining
12 that the entry in the base lottery game and the entry in the dynamic betting game are
winning entries.

32. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic betting game
2 corresponding to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 28,
wherein the input device comprises a first device for inputting a plurality of input
4 selections and a second device that is capable of reading encoded information
disposed on a substrate material, the terminal unit controller being programmed to
6 allow a request for a player to enter the dynamic betting game to be input at the first
device,
8 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the second device to
receive the dynamic bet slip and to read player selection indicia on the dynamic bet
10 slip, and
the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the second device to
12 receive the continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the player's
entry for the occurrence of the sporting event.

33. A gaming system for conducting a dynamic betting game
2 corresponding to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 27, the
terminal unit controller being programmed to allow a request for a player to enter the
4 dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the sporting event to be input at the input
device.

34. A method for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding to the
2 occurrence of a sporting event, comprising:

storing current information for the occurrence of the sporting event at a
4 computer memory device;

dispensing a dynamic bet slip to the player, the dynamic bet slip having indicia
6 disposed thereon corresponding to the current information for the occurrence of the
sporting event stored at the computer memory device;

8 reading player selection indicia on the dynamic bet slip, wherein the player
selection indicia on the dynamic bet slip corresponds to the player's entry for the
10 dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the sporting event;

12 receiving a wager from the player corresponding to the player's entry for the
dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the sporting event;

14 dispensing a continuation ticket to the player, the continuation ticket having
indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the player's entry for the dynamic betting
game for the occurrence of the sporting event;

16 storing outcome information for the occurrence of the sporting event at a
computer memory device;

18 reading the indicia on the continuation ticket corresponding to the player's
entry for the dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the sporting event;

20 determining whether the player's entry for the dynamic betting game for the
occurrence of the sporting event is a winning entry based on a comparison of the
22 player's entry to the outcome information for the occurrence of the sporting event; and

24 dispensing value to the player in response to determining that the player's
entry for the dynamic betting game is a winning entry.

35. A method for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding to an
2 occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 34, comprising:

4 receiving an entry for the player for a base lottery game;

6 receiving a wager for the player for the base lottery game; and

dispensing the dynamic bet slip to the player, wherein the dynamic bet slip has
6 indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game.

36. A method for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding to an
2 occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 35, comprising:

reading the indicia corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game on the
4 dynamic bet slip;

determining whether the entry for the base lottery game is a winning entry;
6 and

dispensing value to the player in response to determining that the entry for the
8 base lottery game is a winning entry.

37. A method for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding to an
2 occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 35, comprising:

dispensing the continuation ticket to the player, wherein the continuation
4 ticket has indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery
game;

determining whether the entry for the base lottery game is a winning entry;
6 and

8 dispensing value to the player in response to determining that the entry for the
base lottery game is a winning entry.

38. A method for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding to an
2 occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 35, wherein a winning
outcome for the dynamic betting game corresponds to a multiplier value to be applied
4 to a prize amount for a winning entry for the base lottery game, the method
comprising:

6 determining total base lottery game prize amount by multiplying the prize amount
for the winning entry for the base lottery game by any multiplier value for a winning
8 entry for the dynamic betting game in response to determining that the entry in the
base lottery game and the entry in the dynamic betting game are winning entries; and

10 dispensing value to the player corresponding to the total base lottery game
prize amount in response to determining that the entry in the base lottery game and
12 the entry in the dynamic betting game are winning entries.

39. A method for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding to an
2 occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 34, comprising receiving a
request for a player to enter the dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the
4 sporting event to be input at the input device.

40. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding
2 to the occurrence of a sporting event, the terminal unit comprising:

an input device for inputting a plurality of input selections, the input device
4 being capable of reading encoded information disposed on a substrate material;
a terminal unit memory device;

6 a currency-accepting mechanism that is capable of allowing the player to
deposit a medium of currency;

8 a value-dispensing mechanism that is capable of dispensing value to the
player;

10 an output device; and

12 a terminal unit controller operatively coupled to the input device, the terminal
unit memory device, the currency-accepting mechanism, the value-dispensing
mechanism, and the output device,

14 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the entry of
current information for the occurrence of the sporting event at the terminal
16 input device, and to store the current information at the terminal unit memory
device,

18 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output
device to dispense a dynamic bet slip to the player, the dynamic bet slip
20 having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the current information for
the occurrence of the sporting event stored at the terminal unit memory
device;

24 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the terminal
input device to receive the dynamic bet slip and to read player selection
indicia on the dynamic bet slip, wherein the player selection indicia on the
26 dynamic bet slip corresponds to the player's entry for the dynamic betting
game for the occurrence of the sporting event,

28 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the currency-
accepting mechanism to receive a wager from the player corresponding to the
30 player's entry for the dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the sporting
event,

32 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output
device to dispense a continuation ticket to the player, the continuation ticket
34 having indicia disposed thereon corresponding to the player's entry for the
dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the sporting event,

36 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the entry of
outcome information for the occurrence of the sporting event at the terminal
38 input device, and to store the outcome information at the terminal unit
memory device,

40 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the input
device to receive the continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding
42 to the player's entry for the dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the
sporting event,

44 the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine whether
the player's entry for the dynamic betting game for the occurrence of the
46 sporting event is a winning entry based on a comparison of the player's entry
to the outcome information for the occurrence of the sporting event, and

48 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-
dispensing mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the
50 terminal unit controller determining that the player's entry for the dynamic
betting game is a winning entry.

41. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding
2 to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 40, the terminal unit
controller being programmed to allow the player to enter a base lottery game entry at
4 the input device,

6 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the player to enter a
base lottery game wager at the currency-accepting mechanism,

8 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the output device to
dispense the dynamic bet slip to the player, wherein the dynamic bet slip has indicia
disposed thereon corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game.

42. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding
2 to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 41, the terminal unit
controller being programmed to allow the input device to read the indicia
4 corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game on the dynamic bet slip,

the terminal unit controller and being programmed to determine whether the
6 entry for the base lottery game is a winning entry in response to the dynamic bet slip
being received and read by the second input device, and

8 the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the terminal unit controller
10 determining that the entry for the base lottery game is a winning entry.

43. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding
2 to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 41, the terminal unit
controller being programmed to cause the output device to dispense the continuation
4 ticket to the player, wherein the continuation ticket has indicia disposed thereon
corresponding to the entry in the base lottery game,

6 the terminal unit controller being programmed to determine whether the entry
for the base lottery game is a winning entry in response to the continuation ticket
8 being received and read by the input device, and

the terminal unit controller being programmed to cause the value-dispensing
10 mechanism to dispense value to the player in response to the terminal unit controller
determining that the entry for the base lottery game is a winning entry.

44. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding
2 to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 41, wherein a winning
outcome for the dynamic betting game corresponds to a multiplier value to be applied
4 to a prize amount for a winning entry for the base lottery game, the terminal unit
controller being programmed to multiply the prize amount for the winning entry for
6 the base lottery game by any multiplier value for a winning entry for the dynamic
betting game to determine a total base lottery game prize amount in response to
8 determining that the entry in the base lottery game and the entry in the dynamic
betting game are winning entries, and the terminal unit controller being programmed
10 to cause the value-dispensing mechanism to dispense value to the player

corresponding to the total base lottery game prize amount in response to determining
12 that the entry in the base lottery game and the entry in the dynamic betting game are
winning entries.

45. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding
2 to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 41, wherein the input
device comprises a first device for inputting a plurality of input selections and a
4 second device that is capable of reading encoded information disposed on a substrate
material, the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow a request for a player
6 to enter the dynamic betting game to be input at the first device,

the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the second device to
8 receive the dynamic bet slip and to read player selection indicia on the dynamic bet
slip, and

10 the terminal unit controller being programmed to allow the second device to
receive the continuation ticket and to read the indicia corresponding to the player's
12 entry for the occurrence of the sporting event.

46. A terminal unit for conducting a dynamic betting game corresponding
2 to an occurrence of a sporting event in accordance with claim 40, the terminal unit
controller being programmed to allow a request for a player to enter the dynamic
4 betting game for the occurrence of the sporting event to be input at the input device.